

## [CHAPTER 50.]

## AN ACT

To provide for the leasing of restricted Indian lands of Indians of the Five Civilized Tribes in Oklahoma.

February 11, 1936.  
[S. 2148.]  
[Public, No. 441.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That from and after thirty days from the date of approval of this Act the restricted lands belonging to Indians of the Five Civilized Tribes in Oklahoma of one-half or more Indian blood, enrolled or unenrolled, may be leased for periods of not to exceed five years for farming and grazing purposes, under such rules and regulations as the Secretary of the Interior may prescribe and not otherwise. Such leases shall be made by the owner or owners of such lands, if adults, subject to approval by the superintendent or other official in charge of the Five Civilized Tribes Agency, and by such superintendent or other official in charge of said agency in cases of minors and of Indians who are non compos mentis.

Five Civilized  
Tribes, Okla.  
Leasing restricted  
lands of, authorized.

Approved, February 11, 1936.

## [CHAPTER 51.]

## AN ACT

To provide that funds allocated to Puerto Rico under the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1935 may be expended for permanent rehabilitation, and for other purposes.

February 11, 1936.  
[S. 3140.]  
[Public, No. 442.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That all sums which the President has segregated or allotted or shall segregate or allot for projects in Puerto Rico out of the money appropriated by the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1935 shall constitute a special fund to provide relief and work relief and to increase employment in Puerto Rico. The fund thus established shall continue available for expenditure until June 30, 1940. All income derived from operations financed out of this fund and the proceeds of the disposition of property acquired therewith shall constitute a revolving fund, which shall remain available for expenditure for the purposes and in manner authorized herein and in the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1935 until Congress shall provide otherwise, notwithstanding any limitation of time contained in the said Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1935. Any agency or agencies lawfully designated or established to administer funds allotted hereunder or the revolving fund herein authorized may be continued so long as the said funds or any of them remain available for expenditure.

Puerto Rico.  
Special fund for re-  
habilitation of, pro-  
vided; sources, dura-  
tion, etc.  
*Ante*, p. 115.

Revolving fund cre-  
ated; purposes.

Duration of admin-  
istrative agencies.

Projects for rural rehabilitation in Puerto Rico may include the acquisition, development, maintenance, and operation of agricultural enterprises. A reasonable charge may be made for materials and services produced or made available by any project: *Provided*, That such materials and services may also be supplied as compensation, in whole or in part, for services rendered by persons employed upon any project.

Rural rehabilitation  
projects.

Charge for mate-  
rials, etc., produced.  
*Provido*.  
Use as compensation.

SEC. 2. Notwithstanding the provisions of section 15 (f) of the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended by section 8 of the Act of May 9, 1934, or any action taken thereunder, all or any part of the unobligated balance of taxes heretofore or hereafter collected from the processing of sugar beets or sugarcane in Puerto Rico and/or

Processing tax col-  
lections transferred to  
revolving fund.  
Vol. 48, p. 675; U.  
S. C., p. 162; Supp. I,  
p. 26.

Hurricane insurance fund; sum authorized for.

Proviso.  
Restrictions.

Insurance premiums.

upon the processing in continental United States of sugar produced in or coming from Puerto Rico are hereby authorized, in the discretion of the President, to be transferred to the revolving fund authorized by this Act. Not exceeding \$10,000,000 of this fund may, in the discretion of the President, be set aside in the Treasury for use as an insurance fund to insure individual agriculturists in Puerto Rico, but to the extent only of such insurance fund and its accretions, against damage by hurricane to their farm dwellings and farm buildings, growing crops, plants and trees, including trees used as shade for growing crops, warehouses and produce in barns and warehouses: *Provided*, That said fund may be so employed only during such periods as the Secretary of the Interior shall find and determine that commercial insurance is not available, and at premiums sufficiently high to keep the principal of the original insurance fund intact, and policies of insurance shall be issued hereunder only pursuant to such terms and premium rates as the Secretary of the Interior shall prescribe by regulations duly promulgated. Until otherwise provided by law all moneys collected as premiums on such insurance or otherwise in connection with the administration of such fund or the operation of such insurance activity shall constitute accretions to the fund and shall be held, together with the original insurance fund and all additions thereto, as a revolving fund for the purposes of such insurance.

Approved, February 11, 1936.

#### [CHAPTER 52.]

#### JOINT RESOLUTION

February 11, 1936.

[H. J. Res. 459.]

[Pub. Res., No. 69.]

To amend the joint resolution entitled "Joint resolution providing for the participation of the United States in the Texas Centennial Exposition and celebrations to be held in the State of Texas during the years 1935 and 1936, and authorizing the President to invite foreign countries and nations to participate therein, and for other purposes."

Texas Centennial Exposition, 1935 and 1936.

*Anté*, p. 431.

Allocation of funds by Commission, authorized.

Purchases without advertising.

R. S., sec. 3709, p. 733; U. S. C., p. 1803.

*Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the United States Texas Centennial Commission established by the joint resolution entitled "Joint resolution providing for the participation of the United States in the Texas Centennial Exposition and celebrations to be held in the State of Texas during the years 1935 and 1936, and authorizing the President to invite foreign countries and nations to participate therein, and for other purposes", approved June 28, 1935, is authorized, in its discretion, to allocate funds from the appropriation made to carry into effect the provisions of such joint resolution, to the Texas Centennial Commission, the Commission of Control for Texas Centennial Celebrations, the Texas Centennial Central Exposition, and to any executive department, independent office, or establishment of the Government for the purchase of historic papers and paintings by contract or otherwise without regard to the provisions of section 3709 of the Revised Statutes, the construction and erection of monuments, statues, markers, buildings, and other structures or any part thereof, including purchase of sites, the restoration of historic structures, and the purchase of land in connection with historic structures. The funds so allocated may be expended by such State bodies and Government departments or establishments in any part of the State of Texas in accordance with the allocation by the Commission.